

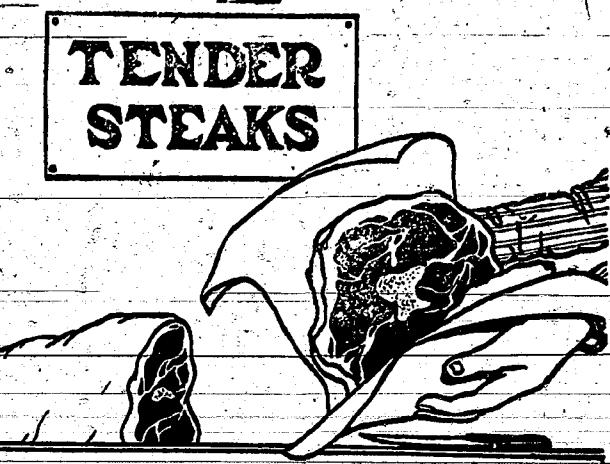
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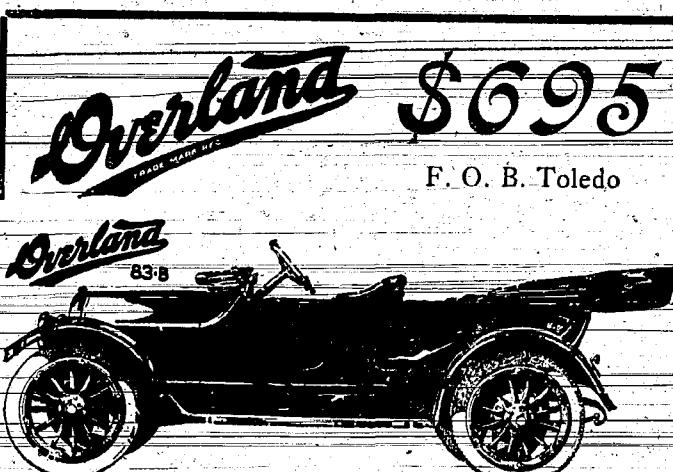
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## WOMAN'S CLUBS VISIT GRAYLING

GOOD FELLOWSHIP CLUB HOLD RECIPROCITY DAY.

West Branch, St. Helen and Gaylord Represented.

Wednesday afternoon and evening the ladies of the Goodfellowship club were hostesses to several other clubs at a reciprocity meeting. There were about seventy ladies present representing the "Monday club" of West Branch; "The Half-hour Study club" and "The Community club" of St. Helen; "The Woman's club" of Gaylord and "The Woman's club of Grayling.

The ladies from out of the city were met at the station with autos and were driven at once to Daubod Hall, where they were received by the Goodfellowship club. About 3:00 o'clock the visiting ladies were taken in autos around the city, and out to the Military Reservation. Because of the heavy rains of the afternoon many of the planned outdoor entertainments had to be abandoned, therefore the guests were taken to the movies at the Opera house at 4:00 o'clock.

At 6:00 o'clock a splendid banquet was served the ladies at Daubod Hall. This was prepared and served by Mrs. Dawson and his assistants and did credit to that gentleman, and the ladies were profuse in their praise over the deliciousness of the banquet and of the manner in which it was served.

At 8:00 the club ladies as well as the general public listened to a lecture by J. H. McGillivray of Oscoda on "Conservation". This lecture was beautifully illustrated with stereoptical pictures and was held at the High school auditorium.

It was thru the courtesy of Wm. N. Gates, state game, fish and forest fire warden, that Mr. McGillivray was allowed to give this lecture and it may be assured that the lecture had a most interested audience.

Mr. McGillivray opened his remarks by saying that "Conservation" to my mind, is nothing more or less than God's laws placed in observance.

The speaker also said in part as follows: "Conservation has been defined and the definition has been generally accepted, as the use without waste of our natural resources, for the benefit of all. Our greatest natural resource is man himself.

When we allow fertile lands, which would produce, to lie idle when we have opportunity to cultivate them and need the foods they would give us, we are not conserving our resources. Coal in the ground is valuable, but in the bunkers of a steamer, or in the bins of a manufacturing plant, it is an asset, a factor in human progress and comfort. A tree, which has reached or is approaching the age of maturity, when it will soon die and decay if not used, is productive only of waste, if not cut and put to man's service.

When we allowed in Michigan, the loggers to strew the area of the forest districts with combustible material, so that four times as much merchantable timber has been destroyed by forest fires as has been made into lumber; we are out of order. When we allowed the American hunter to subject the migratory game, ducks, geese, plover, rail and other species, to nine months of shot-dodging in their flight from Michigan to old Mexico, so that we drove them from their natural breeding place, the Great Lakes latitude, to the rigorous and non-prolific Arctic circle, where they now try to breed, we were out of order.

When we allowed the taking of immature fishes by the commercial fisherman and the angler, even tho' the latter was afield in search of recreation to conserve his own body and mind, when we allowed them to take these fishes from our waters before they had made provision for replenishment of their kind, we were out of order.

When we burn our limited supply of wood or coal to make power, to turn wheels, at the same time allowing our streams with their permanent and tremendous power, to pour their great forces unused into their destined basins of lake and ocean, we are out of order.

To conserve is to make use of, not to hoard, not to bury the talent, not to hide the light under a bushel. Christ's own parables, we now see, were simply lessons in conservation.

When we allowed by negligence our forests to be destroyed by fires, we lost, not only the timber value, but we lost the myriad millions of tiny reservoirs, in the leaves of the deciduous trees and the needles of the pines; reservoirs from which dry winds in periods of drought secured moisture to deposit on our domestic crops.

When God, in the wake of his giant glaciers, spread his great carpet of treeless prairies on the west of this continent, he made provision for moisture for their vegetation in the fringe of mountains with which he girdled them; mountains, the peaks of which are capped with eternal snows, from which the Chinooks or

## TROUT SEASON ON OPER

Michigan Has Most Delightful Haunts for Fishing.

May 1st has arrived making

opening of the trout season. B

ored of anglers are now gently c

started their flies upon the vari

ous streams for which Michigan's fame

is founded in Michigan, 18 miles from G

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men as Lovells, situated about one

from the station on the banks of this

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The Underhill club is located tor, and

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Dr. Underhill and his genial respon

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ture of such rare beauty that no

artist could ever place on canvas

the best poet describe it. You are made

business

but by way of Malmo to Germany

for months a regular current of

young Finns kept moving as

above stated. The exact number is

not known, but it is said to be at least

two thousand. The Russian autho

ries finally took notice of this move

ment and declared that all old Finns

passports should be null and void. C

ders were also given to have the fra

ter city of Tornio surrounded with

barbed wire fences. The measur

es taken by the authorities are set

to put a check on emigration from

Finland. It is natural that Ger

many should be far from hostile

this immigration, for the Finns

have been and are still disgusted with their Russian rulers.

When Lars Wrote a Bill to

Mother.

A little boy had one day seen

his mother pay bills, this gave him

the idea to send his mother the fol

lowing bill:

A BILL FROM LARS TO HIS MOTHER,

FOR BRINGING IN COAL FIVES,

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## VILLISTAS RAID TWO TEXAS TOWNS

KILLING FOUR AMERICAN SOLDIERS AND WOUNDING AND CAPTURING OTHERS.

### U. S. MEN IN FIERCE BATTLE

A Body of Seventy Mounted Mexican Bandits Faded the Rio Grande and Raided Glenn Springs.

Alpine, Tex.—Villa bandits, some 70 in number, forded the Rio Grande and sweeping 15 miles inland, on American soil, raided the little settlement of Glenn Springs and attacked a detachment of American cavalry, consisting of nine men of troop A, the Fourteenth cavalry. Three troopers and a little 10-year-old boy were killed, two cavalrymen were wounded and another is missing. He is believed to be a prisoner of the bandits who are now fleeing southward into Coahuila, Mexico. Two American citizens, J. Deane, and a man named Compton, according to reports received here, were carried across the Rio Grande and reports have it that their throats were cut. A posse of 50 citizens of Marathon are in pursuit of the bandits.

The missing trooper is Private Roscoe Tyree. The little boy is the son of Compton. He was dead and bandits are thought to have killed him because he could not answer their questions.

The two wounded troopers, Privates J. Birch and Frank Dufree, were brought here slightly wounded. Birch's body was filled with small brass pieces of tacks fired from a shotgun. Dufree was burned about head and shoulders. In a little side room, nine cavalrymen made their flight for the west against the 70 or more Villa bandits at Glenn Springs. A hole of shot peared for more than two hours into the single window of the adobe house, but the cavalry men kept up a steady rate fire in defiant answer. Then the Mexicans' leader ordered his shells to be thrown on the roof, thickly thatched with candelabra.

The U.S. men turned the soldiers below and burnt their horses and bodies. Smashing the door, the troopers broke for the open, firing as they ran. Two were shot and killed as they fled. One is missing and it is believed killed dead. Another was killed as he lay in the bushes while the others fled.

According to the story brought here by the Mexican bandits first attacked a store and/or two houses in Alpine, where they made

two other small buildings.

### GERMANS MAKE FIERCE ATTACK AT FORT VERDUN

The Germans Opened the Attack Near Hill 304 Northwest of Verdun.

London.—With a rapid development in the new battle at Verdun, the French are raining ground, according to the Paris war office statement. The attack, received by the Germans near Hill 304, northwest of Verdun, began on Wednesday morning, and was broken by the French after the Germans had suffered enormous losses.

The attacks by the French have been equal in every way to those of the Germans, according to Paris.

Since the Germans have been driven from a trench south of Haudremont, east of the Meuse, and from positions east of Hill 304, west of the Meuse,

On the east side of the Meuse there was continuous fighting.

The new German offensive move-

ment covers the whole region to the north of Verdun from Hill 304 to Douaumont, a distance of about 12 miles.

Berlin's official report which covers the operations, says the Germans captured an entire system of trenches on the northern side of Hill 304 and that the French suffered heavy losses, but that 30 officers and 1,250 men were taken prisoners.

### STATE NEWS IN BRIEF

Squire Sherman, charged with the murder of Jacob Bowersox, was found guilty of manslaughter by a jury. He was remanded to jail to await sentence. The crime occurred at Bowersox's home at Horner while the victim was entertaining several men to discuss the reason for placing the gun at the bridge.

The appeal made to the United States military department by the state board of agriculture for a fund of \$50,000 to establish a summer camp at M. A. C. has been turned down.

In addition to the tributes paid to the late president, the local men lauded a successful test at the naval aeronautical station here for the first time. A Curtis machine was sent up with an operator and a small wireless plant. The wireless station at the navy yard kept in almost constant communication with the machine in the air.

Ottie Fuller celebrated his twenty-second anniversary as warden of the Michigan state reformatory at Ionia. This is the longest any warden ever has served as head of one prison in the United States.

More than \$2,000,000 was received by Auditor-General Fuller, Saturday, from railroads in payment of taxes of this amount \$1,225,000 paid by the Michigan Central in a single check, represents the largest check ever received by the estate department. Today is the last day for corporations to pay their taxes without penalty.

### MOTHER'S DAY, MAY 14

The Governor's Mother's Day proclamation says, in part:

"The mothers of every country are more important than armies and munitions of war. The mothers are the source of civilization. To our mothers we owe our patriotism, our religion, our holiest aspirations. It is especially fitting in the year nineteen sixteen that we pay tribute to the Mothers of America. Let the boys and girls and the grown-ups, who are away from home on Mother's Day, write a letter of gratitude to Mother. Let those who are home meet Mother with a smile, a kiss and a handful of flowers. Recite to her the prayer she taught you at the bedside."

Therefore, I, Woodbridge N. Ferris, ask that the people of Michigan set apart the second Sunday in May (the 14th) as Mother's Day. In obedience to the resolution of the United States Congress, I ask the people of Michigan to display on this day the United States flag on all government and public buildings, at their homes or other suitable places, "as a public expression of their love and reverence for the Mothers of our country." As far as possible let parents in their homes and both young and old in public meetings discuss the theme of Mother with that enthusiasm and sincerity which characterizes all loyal Americans."

### BIG LINER REPORTED SINKING

Cymric of the White Star Company On Way to England Torpedoed.

London.—The 12,000-ton White Star liner Cymric, which for some time has been engaged in freight service, was torpedoed by a German submarine, according to advices received here.

One report says that the Cymric was attacked in the Atlantic and the court for the final settlement of the information of the White Star Company at Liverpool is that the steamer was torpedoed about noon Monday.

The Cymric left New York April 25, (Signed) John Larson. Moved by McCullough and supported by Mills that the above petition be given due consideration and granted.

Moved by McCullough and supported by Mills that the above petition be granted.

Moved by McCullough and supported by Cook that we adjourn. Motion carried. T. P. Peterson, Village Clerk.

### NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that the American House, in Fredericksburg, owned and operated by the late Theodore Jendron, will be closed. B.

John Jendron is duly authorized to collect and pay any and all accounts

due and owing this place. There are

several pieces of baggage left at the

tearoom and the owners may have the

use by applying to Mr. Johnson.

If claimed on or before June 1st,

the property will be sold for storage

charges.

B. Peter Johnson, Administrator.

Spalding, Calif.

No. 11.

Notice.

Notice is hereby given that the

chit shop was visited by a severe

fire on Saturday morning.

It is believed by a steamship agent

in the port of London that the

steamer Lusitania, which was

then in charge of a British prize crew,

made prisoners of the prize crew,

and after an examination released,

the bark to proceed to its destination.

Valladolid, Spain, via Paris—a general strike on all the Spanish railroads was voted here at a meeting of representatives of the employers on all the lines in the country. The government has taken measures to prevent disturbances and to insure that traffic will not be paralyzed.

Ada, Okla.—During an exchange of words with a passenger, a man who had held up the cashier and robbed the National Bank at Francis, Okla., of \$400 forced the driver of one of the passenger automobiles to stop in his car and a revolver held at the driver's head disappeared in the hills.

New York.—For the third time the

Italian steamship San Giovanni de-

stroyed 100 bags of refined sugar

which had been loaded for transpor-

tation to Palermo and Naples. Agents

for the insurance company held

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Niagara Falls. One. A Canadian

machine gun has been placed near

the approach to the lower steel arch

E. in an effort to obtain a portion

of a proposed appropriation to be

given to universities for engineering

research work. This appropriation

is in no way connected with the an-

nual federal appropriation to Michigan

Agricultural college."

Three more bodies are brought to

the Wayne county morgue there will

be room for no more. Nineteen now.

He there unclaimed and the capacity

is 22.

The Michigan railroad commission

gave the Ann Arbor railroad author-

ization for a short term note issue

amounting to \$1,000,000. Of this

\$750,000 is to be issued at once to retire \$556,000 in two-year

notes which will mature May 1, and

to reimburse the road's treasury for

those notes and others of the same

issue which have been recalled.

President Frank S. Kedzie, of the

Michigan Agricultural college, was the

guest of honor at a banquet attended

by 150 local business men at the Dow-

ney Home Saturday night. The new

head of the state institution is the

first local man to hold the position.

Implementa of warfare will rival the

devices of science at the annual ex-

hibit of the engineering college of the

University of Michigan to be held May

18-19.

New York—Announcement has

been made of an agreement between

the Cunard Steamship Co. and the

Canadian Northern railway whereby

the Cunard company will take over

the steamers owned or controlled by

the Canadian Northern and will main-

tain service between Canada and ports

in the United Kingdom and on the

continent.

## MICHIGAN GETS MINOR SHARE

Four cases of typhoid fever are reported at Ann Arbor.

Midland has a shortage of labor and a housing problem.

The postmistress at Chilson has resigned. Office revenue too small, nobody wants it.

Grayling, Mich., April 24, 1916.

To the Honorable Common Council of the Village of Grayling, Crawford Co., Mich.

Gentlemen:

In the interest of Mrs. Hansine Karoline Hanson, widow of Christopher Hanson, deceased, I respectfully petition your honorable body to permit the removal of my place of business for the ensuing year, from the saloon building on the northwest corner of Block 45 to the saloon building on the northwest corner of Block 16, both in the original plat of this Village. I have occupied this place for several years and my application for its continuance has been approved. I make this application entirely in the interest of Mrs. Hanson, and at her solicitation. Our family relations and my intimate acquaintance with Mr. Hanson has made me acquainted with his business outside of the school and its condition, and varied interests. All the saloon interests of the deceased will expire by limitation, the law April 30th, except the disposition of his property at settlement of his estate.

Mrs. Hanson desires my appointment by the court as general administrator of his property, subject to the approval of the Judge of Probate and the granting of this petition, believing as she does that it will be a financial advantage to her and to the minor heirs if I can personal business and office is here, as we may more conveniently consult with each other and with the

lawyer or attorney who has been engaged in the trial of the case.

I am requested you to take possession of my place of business in Jackson county and a

small amount of money which I have

left in trust with Mr. McCullough and support him in his efforts to get this place for me.

Very respectfully yours,

John Larson.

(Signed) John Larson.

Moved by McCullough and supported by Mills that the above petition be granted.

Moved by Cook that we adjourn.



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Buy It Economically. Buy It From Us

You would never think of going to a lumber dealer to buy your wife a diamond, nor to a farmer to get a new pair of shoes, nor to a druggist for a load of coal.

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We have a large supply of fine White Carnations and Lilies. Carnations 60c per dozen. Lilies (bud or bloom) \$1.50 per dozen.

Also a good choice of many other flowers in various colors.

## Grayling Greenhouses

Open from 6:00 to 6:00.

Sundays and holidays until 9:30 a. m.

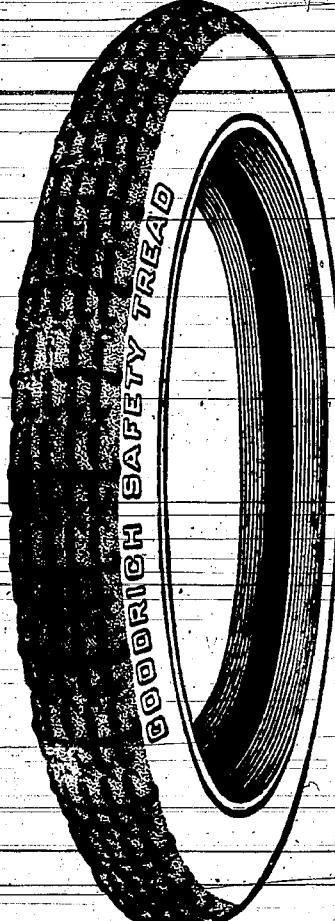
Positively no delivery after that time.

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Crawford County's Home Paper

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taken Type for Type,—than  
**GOODRICH Black-Treads**



**S**IZE for Size, and Type for Type, Goodrich Tires are as large as the largest put out by any Maker, and WILL BE SO MAINTAINED.

This means larger than corresponding Sizes and Types of many other Tires for which even higher prices are asked.

It means, too, the most generously made FABRIC Tires on the Market, at any price.

Manufactured by the largest Rubber Factory in America, with a 47-year Experience in Rubber-working, and a Record for DEPENDABILITY which makes the above statements worthy of prompt acceptance.

Made from the new "Barefoot Rubber," which gives its maximum Traction with minimum Friction,—with resilience, liveliness and long-life to Tires.

**P**RICED on that "Fair-List" basis initiated Jan. 1st, 1918, by the B. F. Goodrich Co., which saved more than \$25,000,000 last year to Tire-Users, through its propaganda against Padded Price-Lists.

Priced so reasonably low that Competitors, whose products are not comparable, claim superiority on the mere strength of their Higher Prices (and the Larger Profits they demand from the Tire-User and Dealer).

Goodrich Prices are based on what it costs the largest, and longest experienced, Rubber Factory to manufacture Tires, as ONE of the 269 lines of Goodrich Rubber Goods for which it buys Canadian Rubber, and over which its Overhead Expenses are divided.

Good Business Men should know, from this, why Goodrich "Barefoot" Tires can be (as they are) the best Tires on the Market AT ANY PRICE, though quoted at the moderate "Fair-List" figures frankly and openly published herewith.

**THE B. F. GOODRICH CO.**  
Akron, Ohio

**GOODRICH—  
BAREFOOT Tires**

30 x 3	Ford Sizes	\$10.40
30 x 3½		\$13.40
32 x 3½		\$15.45
33 x 4	Safety Tread	\$22.00
34 x 4	"Fair-List"	\$22.40
36 x 4½		\$31.60
37 x 5		\$37.35
38 x 5½		\$50.60

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O. P. Schumann, Editor and Proprietor.

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GRAYLING, THURSDAY, MAY 11

### Frederic School Notes.

Emma Johnson was absent from school Monday on account of illness.

The 9th grade have completed their Ancient history and are now reviewing.

English V class had a debate last week upon preparedness. The question was decided that United States should be prepared. It caused so much interest that the first year the English class organized a debating team, and the question to be decided, whether Mexico should or should not be annexed.

Mr. George Horton of the School Board was out of town last week.

Miss Garst took charge of the Monday morning exercises.

Three new pupils are added to the chart class.

The base ball team will play in Gaylord Friday afternoon.

Eighth grade examinations will be held Thursday and Friday.

Some good landscapes were drawn in the Intermediate room, Friday.

The 3rd grade are having special exercises in rapid mental arithmetic.

The 7th grade will give a reception to the 8th grade this year.

### Notice of Sealed Bids.

Notice is hereby given that sealed proposals will be received by the undersigned Commissioner of Highways

of the township of Loyal, County of Crawford, at my office in said town-ship, until the 20th day of May, A. D. 1916, at ten o'clock a. m. for furnish-

ing all the necessary materials and performing the following work, to-wit:

For construction of a cement bridge across the North Branch of the Au

Sable according to the plans and spec-

ifications thereof, now in my office,

and which will be open to inspection

until the time above mentioned.

On which said day and at the place afo-

said I will contract therefor with the

lowest bidder giving good and suffi-

cient security for the performance of

said work. We will reserve the right

to reject any and all bids.

CLARENCE STILLWAGON,  
Commissioner of Highways.

Dated this 10th day of May, A. D. 1916.

Read the want ads in the Avalanche.

## CRAWFORD AVALANCHE

### FREDERIC NEWS

#### FRIDAY, MAY 11, 1916

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GRAYLING, THURSDAY, MAY 11

Frances McDermaid left Saturday for Flint, where he has accepted a position.

Mrs. H. L. Abraham visited her sister, Mrs. Soperstone of Alba, the first of the week.

Mr. Kalahar made a business trip to Grayling Saturday.

L. A. Gardner attended the State convention at Lansing, last week.

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Abraham were called to Detroit on account of the death of the latter's brother.

Mrs. Mary Olson was a pleasant caller on Tuesday.

J. S. Kelley was in Grayling on business, Monday.

The Misses Kelly of Gaylord spent the week end with their parents here.

Eldorado Nuggets.

Mr. and Mrs. George Russell returned Saturday from Alger, where they were called by the illness and death of their son, George M. Cook.

The box social and dance, which was to have been held at the Head

school house last Saturday evening, was postponed until next Saturday evening, May 13th, on account of the house warming at Oliver B. Scott's new house. Everyone present at the house warming had a splendid time. There was a large crowd.

The sunniest Frye, Nellie, the four

year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. N.

A. Frye of Roscommon, spent last

week with Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Kellogg. The Frye family spent Sunday with the Kelloggs.

Supervisor Head called to Lathrop

here last week taking assessments.

The Eldorado Literary club held a business meeting at the school house

last Thursday evening, at which it

was decided to hold a meeting for the

election of officers Saturday evening,

May 3d.

At this meeting a short

program will be given, after which

the young people will be allowed to

dance a while.

Mrs. Wm. Palmer of Lazear called

at the Hartman farm Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Zettler spent

part of last week with Mrs. Zettler's

parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Head.

Mr. Head took them to their home

in the Forestry, near Higgins Lake Sunday.

Mrs. Earl Van Natter of Alpena is

visiting her sister, Mrs. Wellman

Knight.

It may interest autoists to know

Conrad Wehnes made a trip from his

farm to William Foley's, on the Au

Sable, and found some very bad wash-

outs. Dangerous. Be careful. Also

Highway Commissioner James Williams has posted signs along the roads in this vicinity to make it easier to

keep one's direction. He also inspec-

ted the Smith, McMaster and foothead

bridges one day last week, and during the week reported the

stecker bridge.

Mrs. Charles A. Cook was in Grayling Tuesday.

Fred Hartman has spent most of

this week hunting for trees of his

choice, a cow and two young calves. This

may be "somewhere in Glory," for all

he knows of them.

Mrs. Leon Searsall, nee Miss Rose

Dill, is visiting her parents, Mr.

and Mrs. Jesse Dill, Mr. and Mrs.

Searsall have been living near Roscommon

but are now moving to Roscommon.

Gardner Durfee of Lutzene is finishing

the carpenter work on Kim Kinn

bridge, which Charles Cook was obliged

to leave on account of the death of

his brother.

Mr. and Mrs. Torreg, Mr. and Mrs.

Rose, Mr. and Mrs. Orient and son,

Burton, and Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Rutledge

and son, all of Roscommon

called on Mr. and Mrs. Wellman

Knight Sunday.

Miss Dottie Elliott, who went to

Tacoma, Washington, the first of

April, returned home Saturday.

### Riverview.

Harry Grover, who has been ill, is

reported better.

Mrs. Wm. Bromwell returned from

West Branch Tuesday.

Those who had the measles are re-

ported much better and no new cases

have appeared.

## CRAWFORD AVALANCHE

# Ice Cream--Confectionery

This is the most cheerful spot in town—the most popular spot in town, and our ice cream is the most delicious in town.

Everybody comes here and everybody knows they can meet their friends here.

They all like our ice cream, chocolates, candies, fountain drinks and other confections.

**A. M. LEWIS, YOUR DRUGGIST**

### Local News

GRAYLING, THURSDAY, MAY 11

Looks like summer might wander along even yet.

Save the pieces. Hathaway can duplicate any lenses you break.

Miss Maude Tetu left Monday to spend a few days in Bay City.

Wilford Cameron is the new barber at the Efner Matson barber shop.

Louis Herbison left last Saturday night for Bay City and later will leave for the west.

Lime and Sulphur spraying com-pounds for sale. Now is the time to spray. A. M. Lewis.

Bicycles \$25 to \$35 for boys and girls at the Ty Cobb Sporting goods store, Olaf Sorenson & Sons.

Mrs. Tillie Mills is leaving today for Ludington to visit her parents and friends for a couple of weeks.

Mrs. Efner Matson has returned from Lapeer, being called there by the death of her brother, Alfred Laughlin.

M. W. Maloney, who makes his home with his daughter, Mrs. J. E. Crowley, left Monday for a month's visit at his old home in Grand Rapids.

Mr. and Mrs. Nestor Valla are rejoicing over the arrival of a baby girl at their home last week, Wednesday. Grandma and Grandma Palmer are also happy.

State Game Warden Oates and Deputy Jones of Lansing were in the city yesterday and made official visits to the State Game refuge at the Military reservation.

John Olson has disposed of his old familiar dray horse, that he has driven upon our streets for more than 30 years, and purchased the horse driven lately by John Laemauer.

Mrs. Archie McKay and Mrs. Wm. Shoemaker, both of Flint spent Sunday here visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Woodfield. They came to see their mother, who has been ill.

Mrs. Roy Newton and children returned the latter part of last week to Detroit, after a week's visit here. Mrs. Newton's sister, Miss Elvira Rasmussen accompanied her and will remain for an indefinite time.

Mr. and Mrs. Al. Weber of Cheboygan returned home Monday afternoon after a few days spent here, guests of Mr. and Mrs. Claude Gilson of this city, and while here the whole party enjoyed fine fishing trip on the Manistee river.

Miss Isabel Case left last Saturday morning for an extended trip thru different cities in Michigan. She expects to attend the May Festival at Ann Arbor, and will spend several days, the guest of Miss Alveretta E. Irving at Crowley, returning the latter part of May.

## REDUCE Your Table Expense

All you have to do is to buy your groceries and vegetables at this store.

Quality and price will do the rest for you, as it is doing for hundreds of others.

Try an order of our delicious Cheese. Also the fancy brands.

**DeWaele & Son GROCERS**

The Home of Good Things to Eat

Cole Bros' circus is booked to show in Grayling Friday, June 2d.

Whether it be wedding or birthday presents, Hathaway has them.

E. S. Houghton was called to Midway to do some surveying.

Miss Lucie Hanson is entertaining Miss Grant of Bay City this week.

Incidentally, however, clean up week should be three hundred and sixty-five days long.

Wall paper and paint from factory to you. Get our prices before buying. Sorenson Bros.

Dr. and Mrs. J. Atwood Whitaker spent the week end with the former's parents at West Branch, returning Monday.

That Irish rebellion accomplished at least one result aside from its glorious fizz. We have heard of the Sinn Feiners, whatever they may be,

Mrs. Will Heric left last Friday for Flint where Mr. Heric has been employed for the past several months and where they will make their home for the present.

General Superintendent E. H. Ford and Theodore Baker of the DuPont company of Wilmington, Del., and Manager C. T. Clark of Bay City, are in the city on business with the local chemical plant. Today they are enjoying a fishing trip to Lovells, in quest of some of our speckled beauties.

Governor Ferris has designated Sunday, May 14th, as Mother's day and asks the people of Michigan to display on this day the United States flag on all government and public buildings, at their homes or other suitable places, "as a public expression of their love and reverence for the mothers of our country."

Fathers Hare and Culhane of Detroit arrived last Monday morning and are down the AuSable making arrangements for the erection of a cottage, whereafter they expect to spend their summers. They have made annual trips here for a few years during the fishing season. While in the city they are visiting Fr. Kress.

Mr. Charles T. Jerome entertained about thirty ladies last Saturday afternoon at 500. Mrs. S. N. Ingle won first prize and Mrs. Marion Hanson second. In the evening, Mr. Jerome invited a few gentlemen and that most enjoyable game, Pinocchio, was played. Both hostess and host gave their friends a most enjoyable time and not the least of the pleasures were elegant refreshments.

Photographer J. W. Wingard has been making some fine panoramic views lately of scenes on the North Branch of the AuSable river. One of these is of the Ward farm taking in a fine view of the river. Another is of the T. E. Douglas fine new hotel, the pavilion, several cottages, the bridge, the mill, and railroad and shows a fine stretch of the AuSable river. The recent picture Mr. Wingard took, during the visit of the Bay City Board of Commerce, shows more than 150 persons, all easily distinguished.

The thunder and lightning storm of last Sunday night caused some little damage. The lighting played havoc for a while, striking the home of Capt. Case and family, at the military reservation, and ripping off ten to twelve feet of the roof and the fire place chimney was laid waste. In

town the lightning struck the Ed. Cooper residence running down the chimney and burning a hole in the floor beneath. The Mosher barn near the railroad was also struck, and a couple of box cars nearby. In all no very serious damage was done.

Property owners, tenants and others in Michigan who fail or neglect to observe the state fire marshall law and regulations and local ordinances for the prevention of fire should be informed by the fire chief that: "at common law one employing fire as his agency or upon whose property a fire has been accidentally or without his fault started, who fails to exercise ordinary care under the circumstances to prevent it's spread to neighboring property, or one who negligently or carelessly starts a fire is liable for damages to another for injury to person or property of which injury such fire or its spread is the approximate cause."

Street Commissioner Julius Nelson has had a force of men busy the past several weeks repairing one of the roads on the South side. It is nearing completion and is constructed of cinders for a foundation and the workmen are now waiting for the gravel for a covering. It runs along State street from the planing mill and ends on the north side of the river bridge, known as the red bridge near the greenhouse. It is nearly one-half mile in length, and when completed will make one of the best roads in the village, and is a great improvement to the South side, as before this street was a bed of sand. Much credit is due Mr. Nelson for this fine piece of work.

Thomas Goupli of Detroit has been in the city several days calling on his many boyhood friends. Mr. Goupli with his mother and sisters, moved from here several years ago to the west, when he was but a small boy. In the fall of last year he with his mother came from California to Detroit, where they have been since, and where Mr. Goupli is employed as book-keeper for an automobile firm. They expect return at any time to California. Mrs. Goupli is now visiting her brother, Gideon Croteau and family at St. Charles, Mich., and intends to spend a few days with friends here before their return to the west.

The family were among the early settlers of Grayling and will be well remembered.

Miss Mildred Corwin has been confined to her home the past week with quinsy.

Michael Shields of Gaylord spent Sunday here with his wife, who is at Mercy hospital.

Van Larson has moved his saloon business to the Chris Hanson building, corner of Michigan and Cedar streets.

The price of gasoline is not troubling us a bit. It's the cost of print paper that is jerking our hair out by the roots. Sorenson Bros.

The W. R. C. cordially invites the soldiers and their wives to supper at the G. A. R. hall, May 30th, after memorial exercises. See'y.

Sunday M. & N. W. trains leave Manistee at 8:30 a. m. and at 5:00 p. m. arriving at Traverse City 10:54 a. m. and at 7:40 p. m. Leave Traverse City at 8:00 a. m. and at 5:00 p. m. arriving at Manistee at 10:30 a. m. and at 7:30 p. m.

Following are the successful candidates taking the recent teachers' examination held in Grayling, April 27.

29, second grade, Rose Kalahar, Vera Cameron and Minnie Thompson; third grade, Emma Sherman, Herman Schreiber, Libbie Maleo and Amanda Force.

The meeting held Monday evening at the council room for the purpose of organizing a base ball club for the coming season was fairly well attended and much enthusiasm was manifest in getting things under way. The managing officers elected were Frank H. Richardson, manager; D. E. Matheson, secretary; Chas. H. DeWaele, treasurer; Claude LaRoque, captain. Sufficient monies have already been appropriated by the business men and others for the purchase of new uniforms for the team and these are expected to be here for the opening game, which will perhaps be on Memorial day. Rosecrans Herald News. How about a team in Grayling?

Portage Lodge, K. of P. had a big meeting last week Friday evening, when about 20 members of West Branch lodge were present as guests.

There was work in the third rank and Harry Simpson and Hugo Thompson were candidates. The meeting was largely attended and was one of the most pleasant occasions of the year.

The visitors arrived on the afternoon train and were taken for auto rides to several of the different points of interest about the city. At the close of the Lodge meeting, a sumptuous banquet was served in the lodge dining rooms by caterers from the Royal Castle. After the banquet, C. Hanson, as master of ceremonies, welcomed the guests and responded to by E. M. Harris, of the West Branch Lodge. It was an impromptu affair and a dozen or more gave interesting talks, and the whole occasion was a most pleasant one. This ended the Pythian season for the local Lodge, and no more meetings will be held until next September.

Grayling High School Boys Beat Gaylord 14 to 5.

A one-sided but interesting game of ball was played last Friday afternoon between the local and Gaylord high school teams resulting with a victory for Grayling 14 to 5.

Gaylord started off by making one run and Grayling followed suit. From

that time to the closing innings Karpus and Doroh, battery for Grayling, held the visitors scoreless, until a relay on the part of the home players allowed their opponents to bungle out four more runs. Karpus was credited with sixteen strike-outs. Following is the score by innings:

1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 - R

Gaylord..... 1 0 0 0 0 0 1 3 - 5

Grayling..... 0 3 1 5 4 0 \* 14

The attendance at the game was pretty slim and it is hoped that more interest will be shown in future games.

Grayling has a strong school team and their playing is well worth our time and money.

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Mercy Hospital Notes.

Fred Kase and Frank Dryszwski of Gaylord, who are at the hospital with fever, are both improving slowly.

Fred Bischoff of Alpena will soon be discharged, after being at the hospital several weeks with fever.

Mrs. Mark Demorest of Gaylord is much improved this week.

Mrs. C. J. Hathaway was dismissed last Thursday feeling some better.

Mrs. Catherine Losko of the South side remains about the same.

Mrs. A. H. Brady and Mrs. Robert Neigau and babies, were dismissed the latter part of the week.

Mrs. M. Shields of Gaylord is doing very well, as is also Mrs. C. L. Anderson of Lown.

Levi Abbott of the South side, who has an infected hand, is getting better.

Mrs. Lois Larivee is doing very well.

Alphonso Seeman of Roscommon was brought to the hospital Tuesday night, with both hands injured, as the results of playing with dynamite when it exploded. Two fingers and the thumb of the left hand were shot off and the right hand burst.

Mrs. Emma Woodward of Milwaukee left the hospital Friday last.

Elmer Baker of Grayling is doing very well, as the result of an operation for appendicitis.

Mrs. Catherine Leibeski and baby were dismissed last Monday and returned to their home in Waters.

Mr. Mercier of the Salling, Hanson Co., camp is doing very well.

Joseph Kovalski of Gaylord entered

last week, Wednesday for treatment, and is improving.

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GILBERT A. CURRIE.

1914 by Col. Loud by a very small

margin. He says that with two or three candidates from Bay City, Leland, Woodruff, Lusk and possibly others, he feels certain of election. Well, he would make a good one.

Methodist Episcopal Church Notes.

Mother's day Sunday, May 14. A special service will be held in the N. E. Church Sunday morning at 10:00.

A special sermon appropriated for the occasion will be preached by the pastor, Rev. A. Mitchell. Men and boys of Grayling come and hear this sermon on Sunday morning. All welcome.

Rheumatism.

If you are troubled with chronic or muscular rheumatism give Chamberlain's Liniment a trial. The relief from pain which it affords is alone worth many times its cost. Obtainable everywhere.

# Special Values in Middy Blouses

If you want to see new styles in Middies visit our store. All sizes at 75c to \$1.50

Ladies' Wash Skirts \$1.50 to \$6.00

Ladies' Summer Underwear	Men's Summer Underwear	Spring Line of Shirts for Men
Gauze Vests 10c to 50c	A complete line in union or two-piece.	Is now complete
Union Suits 25c, 50c, \$1.00.	Union Suits 50c to \$2.50	Work Shirts in a variety of patterns and colors, cut full and made well, 50c.
Also showing Kayser Silk Vests and Corset Covers.	B. V. D., Porosknit and Balbriggan.	Dress Shirts 50c to \$2.00.

Our line of Work Shoes are fully warranted. Every pair solid. \$1.98 to \$3.75. See our line of MEN'S SILK HATS at 50c.

## Grayling Mercantile Co.

"The Quality Store."

Gymnasium and Play Exhibition	Reduced Laundry Rates	Notice.
Friday evening, May 12th.	Mr. Ward, of the Star Steam laundry of Cheboygan, was in the city first of the week and made arrangements with their local agents, Cowell's Barber Shop, for handling flat work during the season at special prices. And two collars for 5 cents. This is a big reduction over other local prices.	Notice is hereby given that the American House, in Frederic, formerly owned and operated by the late Theodore Endron, will be closed. B. Peter Johnson is duly authorized to collect and pay any and all accounts due and owing this place. There are several pieces of baggage left at the hotel and the owners may have the same by applying to Mr. Johnson. If not claimed on or before June 1st, such property will be sold for storage charges.
	(a) A laundry we will go... (English)	B. Peter Johnson, Administrator

# THE RED CIRCLE

By Albert Payson Terhune

AUTHOR OF THE "THE FIGHTER," "CALEB CONOVER," "SYRIA FROM THE SADDLE," ETC.  
NOVELIZED FROM THE PATHÉ PHOTO PLAY OF THE SAME NAME BY WILL M. RITCHIE.

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SYNOPSIS.

"Circle Jim" Borden, who derives his quoted name from an angry red birthmark on the back of his right hand, is about to make his fortune from the profits of his new home, as a matter of history, to the member of every generation of the Borden family has been branded with the Red Circle. Jim's father, Jim's mother, his wife, his son, and his wife's son—Jim Borden—are the only known living representatives of the Borden family. Jim's father was detailed to keep an eye on "Circle Jim." June Travis and her mother, members of the wealthy class who are due to start the reform of the world, have met, but believe he is in the secret of keeping it. Realizing that he is a menace to society, he enters the city to see him. June, the pin-up girl, turned actress, is the woman who comes upon an underground passage where "Circle Jim" has taken refuge and she follows him. The last time the Borden family lived in the city, Jim says Lamar, but the next day he is astounded by the sight of a woman's hand gripping his arm and pulling him into the Red Circle on the outskirts of town, describable down the number on the license plate. June Travis, marked with the Red Circle, is the woman who comes upon an

old man. It was a terrible place, but West was, in those days. And the place we went to was a mining town where there was nothing but shacks and saloons and rough-looking men and half-dead looking women.

"At the end of the trip, Mrs. Travis was pretty near spent. She ought to have been traveling at such a time, but she just would insist on coming along. I remember Mr. Travis and me had to pretty near carry her into the place where we were going to stay while we were there. It wasn't a regular hotel—the sign said 'Gem Saloon.' Also Rooms. 'Wade' was the name of the man who kept it.

"Jake led the way up the stairs and Mr. Travis and me put our arms around poor Mrs. Travis and just lifted her up that rickety staircase into the bed room on the second floor."

"And then we put her to bed," he said. "I remember while I was there I heard someone come out, heavily, on the porch of the roadside and kind of stagger across the road. He must have passed close, because it seemed to me I heard the weak, little wail of a newborn child. But I didn't notice much, just then."

"I just wandered back into the saloon like I was in a nightmare and stumbled up the steps, falling over my skirts and picking myself up, until I got into the bedroom. There, in the middle of the room, hanging over the table, with her eyes glassy staring and her chin dropped, was Jim Borden's wife—over in the bed—dead. Mrs. Travis, still unconscious, with a baby beside her."

"It was hours before I got the strength to get up from the chair again. It was only when I remembered how queer it was that the baby in the grip didn't cry that I jumped up suddenly and went to get it. It was gone! The grip was empty. There was nothing but the dead little body had made in the soft, woolly things—and impatiently, she brushed it back then

"I don't know, lamb, I don't know anything, precious," she stammered. "Mary's face took on the haggardness of one who is awakened from what seemed to be a gruesome nightmare only to find that it is a grim truth."

She turned from the kneeling figure and went quickly through the door and down the stairway, one hand pressed to her throat.

June looked after her, stunned by a swift, certain fear. Then slowly she rose from her knees, walked over to her dressing table and sank into the little chair before the mirror.

In a moment she had decided. Hissing softly, she ran down the steps and into the garden.

Down a side path, in a little clump of bushes was a stone bench. Sitting on this, hunching-to-and-fro, with tightly clasped hands, was Mary.

June reached her side, breathless and alarmed. As she approached, Mary looked up in piteous supplication.

"Don't ask me, precious. Don't ask me, dear! I don't know. I couldn't tell you, blessed," she moaned, and raised her hands to ward off June's embrace.

The girl sat down and put a loving arm across her shoulders.

"People who bring up children and love them," she began slowly, "always forget these children are grown. Once

they're two or three,

I could hear the woman and children cheering in the basement downstairs. I could hear screaming, frightened for their husband that wasn't there. Then I heard the doors slamming and the bolts shot into place. And in the midst of it all the door of the bathroom hung open and Jake came in, dragging a sick woman between them.

"This is Jim Borden's wife," says take-me-and-her Mrs. Toole carrying Jim's baby. "I'll let her take care of the two sick women and the babies, won't you? And we said yes."

Mrs. Toole put Jim's baby down on the bed next to Mrs. Travis—it was one of them narrow no-count beds—and went to fussing over Mrs. Borden. And I just walked the floor with the other woman on the bed with her baby beside her. He took the baby he thought was his own and went away—where no eye knew—and I never found out till too late."

For a moment there was a silence, more compelling than sound. Suddenly, ringing her arms wide, June cried hysterically:

"What does it mean? Don't stop there. Go on! Go on! What are you trying to make me believe?"

"Did as I thought best at the time," Mary went on tonlessly, weary in heart and body from the purgatory ordeal. "Mr. Travis was dead. When Mrs. Travis came to what could I tell her? Baby was there. No one but me knew it wasn't hers. It would a killed her to tell her. I never told her she didn't know—she doesn't know—no one knows."

"And I—I am—" June gasped out the words.

Mary looked steadily into her terrified eyes and gripped her hand firmly.

"On the back of Jim Borden's right hand," she said heavily, "there was a queer Red Circle—they called him 'Circle Jim' out there. Just as later, they—"

"Not! Not! I don't believe it—I'm not—I'm not—" June crumpled into a sobbing heap at Mary's feet.

Very gently, the old woman lifted her head and held her close:

"You are Jim Borden's daughter," she declared with a solemnity that brooked no dispute. "Marked with the curse. But we must guard the secret. She must never know."

"We're going to keep the secret, aren't we, lamb?" Mary was saying.

"Your profession must bring day after

"I can't promise anything," persisted June, fighting to regain her composure, "until you tell me about this mark that has soiled my hand—tell me what you know of it."

"I'm afraid—I'm afraid," she repeated.

"Tell me."

"Twenty years ago Mrs. Travis went West on a trip with Mr. Travis," said Mary, speaking rapidly, as if forcing each word. "I went along—I was the

on them when I ran downstairs—it was safer than the bed. It was safer than the bed—I thought it was safer than the bed," she repeated incoherently.

"Mary—Mary!" June shooed her slightly. "Don't forget any of it now—you mustn't do you hear? You mustn't! You left off where you went downstairs."

"And when I was going out of the room," continued the old woman talking as if she were in a trance. "Mrs. Borden must 'a' heard her Jim's voice downstairs, 'cause she kinda tried to pull up out of the chair and then when I was halfway down the steps I heard a shot and something falling."

"Downstairs, in the barroom it was all shouting men, with women crying on their shoulders and little children hanging frightened to their mothers. And I heard big Jim Borden asking Jake about his missus and then jumping up the steps three at a time with a look like the smile of heaven on his stone-faced face."

"Put in all the crowd I couldn't see Mr. Travis and I began to be afraid, thinking of that woman who loved him so, laying unconscious in bed upstairs—and the baby. So, when no one was looking, I ran out on the street—and there I found him—Mr. Travis—shot through the heart."

"I remember while I was there I heard someone come out, heavily, on the porch of the roadside and kind of stagger across the road. He must have passed close, because it seemed to me I heard the weak, little wail of a newborn child. But I didn't notice much, just then."

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"You mustn't go down, darling," she said seriously.

"Outside, on the porch, a chair scraped along the floor. June heard the sharp intake of Mary's breath."

"I believe I did pass such a woman," she brought out the words slowly, as if unwilling to make the statement positive. "Yes, now that I think about it, I'm sure I did."

Lamar leaned forward in his chair and half-unconsciously placed a hand upon her arm.

"Think, Miss Travis—think!" he urged.

Down the stairs came the sleek, patter of Japanese feet in American shoes. Lamar turned, impatiently, as Yama advanced to the center of the room, balancing a dusky fan and brush in one hand, yellow palm, the other extended with a bit of charred paper fluttering stiffly from it.

"Parlor. May this be honorable value to Miss June?" he intoned flatly.

Lamar started at sight of the tray, June reached out vaguely, nodded, sniffed as best she could and took the paper from the butler's hand.

"Thank you, Yes. You may go." With Yama's eyes upon her it was an effort to say even that.

As Yama disappeared through the doorway, Lamar turned upon her.

"What is that?" he said sharply.

"This," she inquired faintly, holding the paper before her.

"Yes. What is it?"

Without waiting for her answer and before she had a chance to regain her shattered composure, he took the turned document from her hand and examined it carefully.

"Where did you get it?" he asked at length and his tone implied that conviction had taken place of suspicion.

"Why—er—why, the veiled woman in black dropped that note as she hurried by me."

Yama disappeared through the doorway. Lamar turned upon her.

"Here!" cried June mock-dramatically, "right, on the spot this woman in black—that is, where she passed me, I mean."

"She was pointing a tragic forefinger at a small spot in the taffeta. Then suddenly a startled cry burst from her and she raised her arm limply—and pointed.

Turning, the detective saw a woman in black—a long coat hid her figure, a thick veil shrouded her features. She stood motionless on the walk, in front of a huge tree.

Incredulous, Max looked from the woman to the girl beside her—then back again. The woman hadn't moved. She seemed unconscious of their presence.

"Is that the one?" he muttered hoarsely. "Is that the woman who passed you?"

Stunned by the horror of it all, June nodded her head. Immediately Lamar left her side and started to stalk aimlessly toward the woman in black.

The sound of his steps on the pavement roused the veiled woman from her lethargy. She turned her head with a quick, startled movement and walked rapidly away.

Lamar quickened his pace. June, fearful of what she had done, started after him. Suddenly the woman in black, cut across a lawn, breaking into a run.

June saw the crime specialist clutch his fist. The girl had given him the slip. The girl found a wonderful exhilaration in the fact.

As she watched him his chin suddenly shot forward—his eyes strained from their sockets, and a smile, cruel yet suave, dawned around his mouth.

At the rear of the house stood a garage. Across its freshly painted, light gray door sprawled a blotch of ink black, plastered there by the wind.

The breeze died. The black patch fluttered and fell, hanging in limp folds. With three bounds Lamar had reached the garage door and was pulling at the soft cloth. He strained at the door, thinking it would give under the pressure. But it was locked.

When Lamar turned to June great beads of sweat stood on his forehead and rolled from his temples.

"At last!" he said exultantly. "I have the veiled woman this time, and perhaps the mystery of the Red Circle!"

June stared at the edge of the black cloak that gripped so tightly. She recognized it. It was her own!

Inside the garage, flat against the door (imprisoned by the cloak-edge she could not tear free) the woman in black pushed the veil back from her gray-white face and prayed:

"God keep my lamb from harm!"

(END OF THIRD INSTALLMENT.)

broke into her dream of rest. Startled she raised her head.

She saw a black sleeve, tightly gripped by a white hand in which a vivid circle of blazing red had suddenly been reborn. Horrified, she traced the flaming mark with a trembling forefinger.

Then the tension snapped and she sank to the floor, a whimpering helpless girl, with both hands pressed to her lips to muffle her frightened sobbing.

Abruptly June got to her feet, and tenderly lifted the old woman up beside her.

"You're going to be good and do just as I tell you," she commanded, "bo-

## MARKET QUOTATIONS

### Live Stock.

**DETROIT**—Cattle: Receipts, 2,107. Best heavy steers, \$8.75@9; best hand weight butcher steers, \$8.25@8.50; mixed steers and heifers, \$8.25@8.50; hand light butchers, \$7.25@7.75; light butchers, \$6.50@7.15; butcher cows, \$8.25@8.50; common cows, \$8.25@8.50; bulls, \$7.25@8.25; best heavy bulls, \$8.25@8.50; stock bulls, \$8.25@8.50; stockers, \$8.25@8.75; milkers and springers, \$8.25@8.75.

Calves—Receipts, 1,517. Good grades selling at \$9.50 to \$9.75 for bulk with a few choice at \$10.75 medium and common, \$8.50 to \$9.

**Sheep and Lambs**—Receipts, 2,383. Best lambs, \$9.25@9.50; fair lambs, \$7.25@8.25; light to common lambs, \$6.75@7.75; fair to good sheep, \$6.50@7.25@7.50; cattle and common.

Hogs—Receipts, 13,300. Piggs, \$8.50; mixed grades, \$9.40@9.60.

**EAST BUFFALO**—Receipts of cattle 160 cars; market 15c lower, choice prime native steers, \$9.25@9.50; fair to good, \$8.75@9.15; plain, \$8.25@8.50; very coarse and common, \$7.75@8.15; best Canadian steers, \$8.50@9.15; fair to good, \$8.25@8.50; choice heavy butcher steers, \$8.75@9.15; fair to good, \$8.25@8.50; best hand steers, \$8.75@9.15; common to good, \$8.25@8.50; yearlings, prime, \$7.75@8.15; best hand butchers, \$7.75@8.15; common, \$7.25@7.50; medium to fair, \$6.75@7.15; butchers, \$6.25@6.50; light bulls, \$6.25@6.50; light bulls, \$5.50@5.75; good butchers, \$5.50@5.75@6.15; good yearlings, \$6.25@6.50@6.75; best feeders, \$7.25@7.50; common to good, \$6.25@6.50@6.75; best feeders, \$7.25@7.50@7.75; common to good, \$6.25@6.50@6.75@7.25; best feeders, \$7.25@7.50@7.75@8.15; best feeders, \$7.25@7.50@7.75@8.15@8.50; best feeders, \$7.25@7.50@7.75@8.15@8.50@8.75.

**Did You See Anything of a Veiled Woman in Black?**

cause that is the only way you can help me. And I need help so dear.

And in less than a minute she had gone, her face wreathed in smiles, waving a gay good-by with the gloves she was drawing on.

At the foot of the stool Lamar was waiting for her. His manner was now

more or less courteous.



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#### Council Proceedings.

A regular meeting of the common council of the Village of Grayling convened at the Town hall Monday evening, May 1, 1916. Meeting called to order by H. Petersen, president.

Trustees present - Taylor, Canfield, Micks, Cook and McCullough. Absent - Jorgenson. Minutes of last meeting read and approved. Finance committee's report read with:

To the president and members of the common council of the Village of Grayling. Your committee on Finance, Claims and Accounts respectfully recommend that the accompanying bills be allowed as follows:

1. M. A. Bates, service \$12.50

2. H. Petersen, stamps and supplies 1.00

3. A. Taylor, services election recount 3-13-16 1.00

4. L. Herrick, services election recount 3-13-16 1.00

5. Geo. W. McCullough, services election recount 3-13-16 1.00

6. John H. Cook, services election recount 3-13-16 1.00

7. W. Jorgenson, services election recount 3-13-16 1.00

8. C. A. Canfield, services election recount 3-13-16 1.00

9. T. P. Peterson, stamp extra work and election recount 22.00

10. Grayling Electric Co. March service 124.55

11. A. M. Lewis, supplies 16.00

12. G. P. Schumann, printing 15.00

13. C. C. Fehr, fire report April 14th 7.50

14. Julius Nelson, pay off end of April 27th 25.00

A. Taylor, F. H. Mills, Committee.

Moved by McCullough and supported by Canfield that the Finance committee's report be accepted and orders drawn on the treasure for the amounts. Motion carried.

Moved by Canfield and supported by Cook that the clerk be instructed to purchase 15 cars of gravel. Motion carried.

Health Officer Harrington reports 123 cases of measles and one case of typhoid fever since March 9th.

Moved by McCullough and supported by Canfield that we accept, with thanks, the transfer of the property of Mr. O. Palmer and the clerk be instructed to place same on record. Motion carried.

The following gentlemen were appointed to act on the Board of Review: A. Taylor and W. Jorgenson.

Moved by Cook and supported by Canfield that the following bills be O. K'd and referred to the Board of Supervisors for reimbursement:

H. Petersen, King case \$1.35

Mercy hospital, Maxson case 37.00

Drs. Insley & Keyport, Morrisey case 10.00

A. M. Lewis, Morrissey case 2.05

M. Simpson, Est., Dixon case 11.48

DeWaele & Son, Dixon case 16.03

Salling, Hanson Co., Laventure case 2.00

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F. H. Mills, Laventure case 4.95

Drs. Insley & Keyport, King case 42.00

A. M. Lewis, King case 5.80

Motion carried.

Since this sacque is worn in rooms of varying degrees of warmth and chilliness, it is needful to have a set of sacques in several materials. Flannel, cotton corduroy, which is much worn - Chinese and Japanese printed silks, American wash silks, Japanese cotton crepes, and some of the English chintzes. For the summer, the thin silks and crepes and dainty lawns, with ruffled edges make up charming dressing sacques.

The saut-de-lit is more elaborate than a dressing sacque and is made

of the most interesting features of the war is the output of war maps which explain absolutely nothing at all.

One effect of the war, according to a sociologist, will be to chean women. But not their clothes, it may be added.

Health officers everywhere are advising the people not to sneeze in public. Save your sneeze until you get home!

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Foot Rest Hosiery stands the rough wear of boys. Saves you money in longer wear. Saves you work in lessening mending. They remain "holeless" longer than any other boy's hose you can buy. Next time you buy hose for your boy, buy Foot Rest and put these better-wearing hose to the test.

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